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Kansas Senators and House Representatives
201 SW 8th Avenue
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Dear Kansas Senators and House Representatives:

Please support and vote for these bills (listed below) to repeal the state law allowing cities to extend zoning regulations up to three miles into unincorporated areas of a county.

SB 37
HB 2025

Cities should not have jurisdiction over those living in the county. We have no legal right to vote for city council and mayoral races or on city taxation and bonding issues and therefore, the city governing officials should have no authority over this three-mile zone beyond the city boundaries.

Please vote to repeal the three-mile law in the interests of Kansans and your constituents who have chosen to live in the county for a quiet country setting, an agricultural lifestyle, and/or to escape the urban sprawl.

This request is written only and it will not be accompanied by an oral presentation.

Sincerely,

Janie Kruse Murk